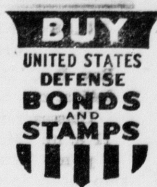




Township Register

COVERING WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP, ALAMEDA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, INCLUDING
ALVARADO, CENTERVILLE, DECOTO, IRVINGTON, MISSION SAN JOSE, NEWARK, NILES, WARM SPRINGS



FIFTY-FOUR YEARS OLD

THE TOWNSHIP REGISTER, NILES, CALIFORNIA

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COUNTY IS MADE PROHIBITED ZONE FOR ALL ALIENS

Washington Township and all of Alameda County were included in a war zone in which all aliens are prohibited from living, by an order issued Tuesday morning by Lieut. General John L. DeWitt, commanding the West Coast Army.

Although the proclamation does not require the immediate mass evacuation of all American-born as well as foreign-born Japanese Italians and Germans, it means that these persons will have to move inland within the next month or so.

The General's order reads: "immediate compulsory mass evacuation of all Japanese and other aliens from the Pacific Coast is impracticable. Eventually, orders will be issued requiring all Japanese including those who are American-born, to vacate all of Military Area No. 1.

"Those Japanese and other aliens who move into the interior out of this area now will gain considerable advantage and in all probability will not again be disturbed."

The order will affect some 110,000 axis aliens and about 90,000 American-born Japanese in the three Pacific Coast states. There are several hundred of these aliens now residing in Washington Township, who will be affected by this latest war measure.

HOME HYGIENE CLASSES BEING CONDUCTED WEEKLY

Mrs. E. C. Dawson of Niles is conducting two classes a week in home hygiene and care of the sick for volunteer women students. She teaches a class each Thursday from 2 to 4 o'clock in the Alviso school and each Friday from 2 to 4 o'clock in the Red Cross room at the Niles school.

Mrs. A. B. Leask, graduate nurse of Niles is conducting similar series of classes at the same hours on Thursday at the Decoto school and on Fridays at the Alvarado school.

Women of the community are urged to attend and learn something useful in connection with civilian welfare during war time.

Legal Notices..

Legal notices now appearing on the inside back page of this issue, all of public interest, include the following:

Sheriff Gleason on March 30 is putting up for sale a tract of land owned by W. T. Whitfield to satisfy a judgment of \$100;

Notices to creditors having to do with the closing of the estates of the following deceased persons: Jerushia J. Ferry; F. H. Scott and Caton Lawrence;

Notice of election of three directors for the Alameda County Water District on Tuesday, March 24.

Legal notices are published for the information of the public.

P. T. A. LUNCHEON

Next Tuesday, promptly at noon is the annual Niles P. T. A. luncheon for the members of the Niles Chamber of Commerce, the Niles Rotary club, and their ladies. The repast will be served in the Niles Grammar school cafeteria with Mrs. Catharine Parry in charge of cooking and serving.

OFFICE HELP WANTED

OAKLAND — The Alameda County Civil Service commission wants a junior typist, salary \$100 per month; a junior stenographer



MAKE EVERY PAY DAY BOND DAY

SEE BOMBARDMENT

MISSION — Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Fisk who have been in Los Angeles for the past several weeks returned to their home here on Wednesday. They were eye witnesses to the thrilling anti-aircraft bombardment of the unidentified planes which flew over Los Angeles last week. Mr. Fisk, who is the president of the Fisk Airplane and Engine Company on Broadway in Los Angeles, and is an oldtime airplane man said it was truly a thrilling sight. The Fisks will move shortly to Los Angeles to make their future home. Their many friends and neighbors will be sorry to see them go.

SEND YOUR "PET PEEVE" TO NILES JUNIOR CHAMBER

Send your "pet peeve" in writing to any member of the Niles Junior Chamber of Commerce and they will see what can be done about it, is the request of Jack Parry, president.

This request was made during the Tuesday night meeting of the Niles body held in the City of Florence Restaurant with half a dozen members present.

Lewis Lewis reported that it cost the Junior Chamber \$33 to have the big concrete NILES sign up on the hill "patted in the face" for the duration. The Zwissig Brothers... with... a plough and scraper and four men handling shovels performed a fine job there two weeks ago. Secretary Fred Duffie was instructed to write a letter of thanks to the Zwissig Brothers who let their own work go in order to accommodate the Chamber and get the big sign covered up in compliance with war department orders.

Members are asked to pay their 1942 dues either to the president at the Central Bank or to Past President Ed Enos at the Niles postoffice.

The annual Niles Scout troop snow party to Long Barn will be held this Sunday with Lewis, Geo. Gear of San Leandro, Parry and others providing the transportation. Lewis said 10 Niles Scouts attended the Court of Honor held at Alvarado last week.

The chair appointed Enos chairman of a committee to prepare an exhibit of the Niles Chamber's juvenile activities to be entered in the national convention at Dallas, Texas in June. Lewis, Parry and Walter Wayne will assist Enos in preparing the exhibit.

U. S. O. TO HOLD OPEN HOUSE SUNDAY SAN FRANCISCO

A nationwide "open house" will be held by USO on Sunday, March 15, to acquaint the American people at first hand with the operations and accomplishments of USO during its first year, it was announced today by Charles A. Hogan, regional representative.

Every USO unit including clubs in new Federal recreation buildings and rentals and other USO units, will take part, inviting the public to see for itself what is being done locally to provide recreation and service to the men of the nation's armed forces during their off-duty hours.

BOARD MEETING

The board of trustees of the Niles Congregational Church held their regular monthly meeting Sunday evening in the Manse with Walter Wayne acting as chairman in the absence of Chairman Fred Duffie. Routine business was transacted, with a financial report being made by Treasurer W. T. Lindsay with Trustees Paul Offel and Bain Leask present. Pastor R. C. Day served as moderator.

at \$110 per month and a hospital clerk at \$110 per month. Full information may be secured at room 205 in the county courthouse.

SNOWBIRDS OF CANADA



Passed by Censor

FROM the young men who used to spend their winter weekends skiing on the snow-covered hills of Canada, the Dominion has created a body of ski troops who are second to none. Long experience in this popular sport made it easy for these men to adapt themselves to the conversion of skiing from a pastime to the sterner purposes of war. Already they have proved their value in Iceland and many thousands of them are ready to demonstrate their merits in other theatres of war if necessary. The photographs show a platoon of ski troops on manoeuvres and a sniper who would be very difficult to spot.

TANGLE & TWIST WINS ANOTHER RIFLE MATCH

MISSION — The Tangle and Twist Fishing Club's Rifle team won another match Friday, February 27, at San Jose shooting shoulder to shoulder with the Pacific Gas and Electric Sportsmen's team, by the score of 921 to 914. The scores for the local boys were Alfred Silva, 182; Tony Costa, 183; R. P. Hunt, 191; M. C. Dassel, 186; and Claire Bettencourt, 179.

The regular Alameda County Rifle Association scheduled meet with the Hayward Rifle Club will be held at the Tand T. Club range Friday evening, March 6.

The boys have just completed a postal match with the Searles Lake Rifle Club at Trona, California scoring 1489 points out of a possible 1600. This is fired in two positions, 20 shots prone and 20 shots offhand or standing.

NEW TOWNSHIP COORDINATORS MEET FRIDAY EVE

CENTERVILLE — The initial meeting of the Washington Township Coordinating Committee of the Alameda County Council of Defense has been called for this Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the justice courtroom here by Chairman F. T. Dusterberry.

This Township committee was appointed on February 21 by County Defense Chairman Ralph Hoyt and includes heads of 10 defense activities, with an eleventh member to be named.

Mr. Dusterberry has also called all members of the disaster committee of the Washington Township Red Cross chapter to meet at the same time and place, at which time coordination of the various defense activities will take place and new activities will probably be undertaken.

MODEL AIRPLANES

CENTERVILLE — H. M. Kibby, shop instructor at Washington Union High school is in charge grammar schools participation in of the high school and Township government's model aircraft making project. Materials for these models, built according to government specifications, will be provided by the schools. The government has asked for 500,000 such models and it is hoped that 50 of them, from 5 to 25 inches in length, can be constructed in the local schools.

CURRENT EVENT CLASSES PROVIDE PUBLIC DISCUSSION

CENTERVILLE — The Monday evening current event forums continue in the high school library with Jack Rees conducting the discussions. The topic Monday night was Our Allies in This War and a report was heard on Personalities in the British Cabinet by Reverend Arnold Nash, pastor of St. James Episcopal church, who is leaving his pastorate here on March 15 for Toronto Canada.

Topics for discussion on coming Monday evenings follow: The importance of Java, India and Ireland to the Allied Nations; What's Wrong with our Labor Policy?; What kind of Price Control do we have?; and other current affairs.

The public is invited to share in the discussions which start promptly at 7:30 Monday evenings upstairs in the High School building.

SIX DECORATIONS AWARDED SO FAR IN THIS WAR

At least six decorations have been awarded for heroism and distinguished services in the present war. The medal of honor has gone to the late Lieutenant Alexander Nininger, of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., and Sergeant Jose Calugas, of the Philippine Scouts, for valor in action in the Philippines.

Two Air Corps officers, Lieutenant George S. Welch, of Wilmington, Del., and Lieutenant Kenneth M. Taylor, of Hominy, Okla., were awarded the Distinguished Service Cross for conspicuous gallantry in action at Pearl Harbor. Staff Sergeant Joseph L. Lockhard, of Harrisburg, Pa., mentioned in the Roberts report as the Signal Corps soldier, who gave the alarm of the approach of Japanese planes at Pearl Harbor, wears the Distinguished Service Medal.

COUNTY ALLOTTED VEHICLE MONIES

An apportionment to Alameda County of \$18,724 in motor vehicle registration fees covering the six months period from July 1 to December 31, 1941, was ordered today by James M. Carter, Director of Motor Vehicles.

This brings Alameda County's total apportionment for the year to \$301,584 based on fee paid registrations of 215,354 vehicles.

— Talk, Act American! —

SANDWICH SALES AT BULB SHOW

The annual sandwich sales for the benefit of the Children's Hospital of the East Bay will be held each weekend during the celebrated bulb show which opens this Saturday at the California Nursery grounds, and closes on April 19.

Plans were made Monday afternoon at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. John Sutton in Centerville. This activity usually yields several hundred dollars in revenue for the benefit of the hospital, those in charge state.

OLSON VETOES HOME GUARD BILL FRIDAY

At last Wednesday night's meeting of Washington Township Post, American Legion, Comrade Ray Peterson made a motion that the uniform fund of \$393.74 remaining unused by the dissolved Township State Guard Rifle company be turned over to the Township Air Warning Service. Peterson withdrew his motion when Wayne, chairman of the former State Guard activity, read a copy of a bill passed by the recent special session of the state legislature, authorizing the forming of Home Guard companies under the Adjutant General and the Sheriff.

The Post voted authority to Wayne to contact the two latter officials and learn if they would authorize Home Guard units being formed in Washington Township.

(Editor's note: On Friday, two days later, the governor vetoed the measure which provided for creation of home guard units, thus killing the activity. Senate Bill No. 9, which the governor vetoed, makes home guard units responsible to the Adjutant-general and the sheriffs of counties, rather than to the governor, as required by the state constitution which vests command of militia in the governor.

To over-ride the governor's veto the legislature must reconvene, which is improbable, and pass the bill over the governor's veto, by a three-quarters majority, which is also unlikely.

The chief of police of Alameda has asked for 100 citizens who are deer hunters and who possess high-powered rifles, to be sworn in and train for possible future duty as paratroop snipers, under his direction.

Deer-hunters and marksmen in Washington Township may band themselves together and offer their services to the sheriff in a similar capacity, if desired by the sheriff. With the state guard bill now before the state supreme court for adjudication, and the new home guard bill vetoed by the governor, there is no present possibility for lawfully organizing any armed units in Washington Township.

Waynflete has written Sheriff Gleason asking if he wishes the deer hunters and marksmen of Washington Township to band together as possible future paratroop snipers under the Sheriff's orders and has invited him to attend the next meeting of the Legion at Niles on Wednesday night, March 11.

CHAMBER VOTES RECOMMENDATION TO REMOVE TREE

The Niles Chamber of Commerce at their Monday luncheon meeting at the City of Florence Restaurant voted a recommendation to County Road Foreman Joe Gomes to remove a tree near the Niles fire house which interferes with the sounding of the siren and with the handling of the fire trucks.

President T. C. Wilson presided and no minutes were read because of the absence of Secretary A. J. Petsche who was attending a Pacific Gas & Electric company meeting.

— Drive slower, save gas! —

ADVICE GIVEN ON HANDLING OF FIRE BOMBS

Fire Chief A. M. Alves of Niles outlined today the latest methods of fighting fire bombs approved by the U. S. Office of Civilian Defense. "Everyone must know what to do in case of an air attack," said the Chief, "not only so we can keep fire damage as low as possible, but also so we can all face such an emergency with calmness and self-confidence. Panic is the only thing to be afraid of.

"The two-pound magnesium bomb is the type military authorities expect will be used," the Chief continued "and, depending upon conditions when you find a bomb, use either sand or water spray on it. Wait about a minute before attacking it, so as to be sure all the violent sputtering is over. Then, if the bomb has not set fire to surrounding combustibles, it can be covered with sand, dumped into a metal pail and removed from the premises."

"But if the bomb has started a fire by the time its violent reaction is over, water spray must be used. Be careful never to let a solid stream strike the bomb, because that may cause an explosive reaction. The source of water may be a garden hose or any fire extinguisher containing water or a water solution. However, since water supplies may fail during a raid, it is unsafe to depend on garden hose. That is why fire extinguishers which are self-contained sources of water are recommended.

"By 'thumping' the stream at the nozzle opening you can use the pump-tank, soda-acid, foam or loaded stream types of extinguishers for the necessary spray, when working on the bomb itself, and their normal solid stream on fire started by the bomb. The purpose of the water spray is to make the bomb burn itself out as fast as possible.

"Because a bomb may penetrate the roof of a house and come to rest on the attic floor, it is a good idea to remove combustibles, so as to limit the things that can catch fire."

All of these points are clearly illustrated in the OCD approved motion picture, "Fighting the Fire Bomb," which is now being shown to defense groups in many communities. They are also discussed in detail in the OCD approved Instructor's Manual which the Chief received today. The motion picture and manual were produced under the technical supervision of the Chemical Warfare Service of the United States Army and the National Fire Protection Association.

Coming Events

FRIDAY

Easter Fair of the Childrens Hospital of the East Bay continues at Hotel Claremont. Closes Saturday night.

2 p. m. Sanford Circle meets at Niles Congregational church.

8 p. m. Initial meeting of Township Defense Coordinating committee at justice court, Centerville.

SATURDAY

Annual Bulb show opens at California Nursery grounds; closes April 19.

8:30 p. m. Public dance at Newark Pavilion.

SUNDAY

Niles Scouts snow party at Long Barn.

SUNDAY

7 p. m. Business and Professional Women meet at International Kitchen.

TUESDAY

12 noon: Annual PTA luncheon at Niles Elementary School Cafeteria for Niles Chamber of Commerce and Rotary club members and wives.

NILES CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Rev. R. C. Day, Pastor.
9:45 a. m. Sunday School.
Classes for all ages.
11 a. m. Morning Worship.
7 p. m. Young Peoples Fellowship meets in Guildrooms.

CHURCH OF THE HOLY ROSARY — DECOTO
Rev. T. Hennessy, Pastor
8:30 a. m. Second and fourth Sundays.
10:00 a. m. First, third and fifth Sundays.

IRVINGTON COMMUNITY CHURCH
Arthur A. Kirk, minister.
10:00 a. m., Sunday School.
11:00 a. m., Church Worship.
Guest speaker: Mr. Donald Hall of San Anselmo. Subject: "Beacon

Lights In A Dark World."
6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor at Newark Church.

CORPUS CHRISTI CHURCH NILES
Rev. T. Hennessy, Pastor
Hours of Sunday Masses
8:30 a. m. First, third and fifth Sundays.
10:00 a. m. Second and fourth Sundays.

ST. JAMES EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Centerville
Rev. Arnold J. Nash Rector.
11 a. m. Morning Worship.

WASHINGTON PRESBYTERIAN PARISH
Rev. J. L. Webster and Mr. Arthur Kirk, Pastors.
NEWARK CHURCH

10 a. m. Sunday School and morning worship.
6:30 p. m. Fellowship supper and "sing" every Sunday evening.
7:30 p. m. Children's story hour, Young People's Christian Endeavor, and Adult Discussion Group.

CENTERVILLE CHURCH
10 a. m. Morning Worship.
Sunday school — Younger children at St. James Episcopal, older children at the Presbyterian church. Parents can attend the church service while the children are in classes.

GEMS OF THOUGHT UNITY
Men's hearts ought not to be set against one another, but set with one another, and all against evil only. — Carlyle.
Individuals, as nations, unite

harmoniously on the basis of justice, and this is accomplished when self is lost in Love — or God's own plan of salvation. — Mary Baker Eddy.

While the Farallon Islands are part of San Francisco, no city or county official may set foot on them without permission from the lighthouse superintendent.

Since ten per cent of all motor vehicles in the United States are owned in California, this state stands to be hit hardest by rubber curtailment.

California 4-H Club members produced farm products worth more than \$500,000 and realized a net profit of \$136,362 during 1941.

State and National forest areas cover one half the total area of the state of California.

Some 60,000 persons annually attend the Easter sunrise services on Mount Davidson, highest point in San Francisco.

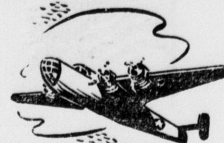
San Francisco has the nation's highest concentration of telephone in relation to population, except for the District of Columbia.

The largest gold dredger in California is in operation near Hamonton, Yuba County.

Nearly 12,000 rural boys and girls participated in 4-H Club farm and home economics activities in California in 1941.

California's unemployment insurance fund has passed the record breaking economics of more than \$200,000,000.

War Needs Money—YOURS!



This war calls for every ounce of energy, every dime and dollar we can muster for ships—and planes—and guns.

Hit the enemy with a \$25 Bond. Hurt him with a \$50 Bond. Help to blow him sky-high with a \$100 or \$1,000 Bond. Don't delay—every hour counts. Buy United States Defense Bonds and Stamps TODAY.



A STRONG NATION NEEDS GOOD FOOD

Buy Defense Stamps and Bonds

Every time you buy food, buy Defense Savings Stamps. Every Safeway Store has them. That's the way to make a steady, consistent contribution to the Victory Drive and regular additions to your savings.

Join Your Local Civilian Defense Corps

Both men and women are urgently needed in the various branches of CIVILIAN DEFENSE. ENLIST TODAY! Do your share to protect your community.

These Foods Contain Rich VITAMINS

VITAMINS A, THE B COMPLEX C, D, and E, for regulating body processes, including growth and reproduction, and normal functioning of nerves and muscles.

JUICE	Tomato—Sunny Down—No. 2 can	2 for 15¢	46-oz. can	16¢
JUICE	Tomato—Libby's No. 2 can	8¢	47-oz. can	2 for 35¢
FLOUR	Kitchen Craft No. 5 bag	23¢	No. 10 bag	43¢
FLOUR	Drifted Snow No. 5 bag	26¢	No. 10 bag	49¢
PRUNES	S & W, large—2-lb. ctn.	21¢		
GRAPEFRUIT	Florida Gold—Sweet or Unsweet—No. 2 can	2 for 23¢		
HOT SAUCE	Gardenside 8-oz. can	3 for 10¢		
SOUP	Rancho, Tomato or Vegetable—22-oz. can	10¢		
SOUP	Rancho, Assorted Varieties 10½-oz. can	4 for 23¢		
SOUP	Rancho, Chicken Noodle or Mushroom—10½-oz. can	3 for 25¢		
PEAS	Gardenside—No. 2 can	10¢		
PEAS	Del Monte, Early Garden—No. 2 can	2 for 27¢		
STRING BEANS	Gardenside No. 2 can	10¢		
CORN	Highway, White or Golden Cream Style—No. 2 can	2 for 19¢		
TOMATOES	Del Monte, Solid Pack No. 1 can	10¢		
SPINACH	Emerald Bay—No. 2½ can	13¢		
BACON	Swift's Premium ½-lb. cello. pkg.	2 for 39¢		
BACON	Cudahy's Puritan or Hormel's Dairy ½-lb. cello. pkg.	18¢		

These Foods Contain Necessary PROTEINS

PROTEIN for growth, muscle and other tissue building and repairs.

TILLAMOOK CHEESE	1-lb. bulk	34¢
LENTILS	Washburn—1-lb. cello. pkg.	2 for 15¢
BEANS	Small White—3-lb. cello. pkg.	22¢
BEANS	Lima—Large 1-lb. cello. pkg.	23¢
LIMA BEANS	B & M, No. 2 can	3 for 25¢
PREM	Swift's, Prepared Meat—12-oz. can	31¢
SAUSAGE	Libby's, Vienna No. ½ can	2 for 23¢
PORK & BEANS	Campbell's No. 1 can	2 for 15¢
WHEATIES	"Breakfast of Champions" 8-oz. pkg.	2 for 21¢
CREAM	Lucerne, Pastry ½ pt. ctn.	21¢
BREAKFAST GEM	Large—Doz.	35¢
NULAI EGGS	Large—Doz.	38¢

Learn about Vitamins, Minerals and Proteins!

Your Safeway has cooperated with the Government's effort to build a healthier stronger nation by preparing a brand new kind of "correspondence course" on nutrition. This correspondence course gives in ten, easy-to-understand lessons, the sort of practical, usable information you've been wanting on nutrition. Prepared by our own graduate nutritionists, the course has been checked and double-checked by other outstanding authorities in the fields of foods. You will notice a good many changes . . . radical ones, some of them are . . . in such things as ways of cooking vegetables.

Do your share in the Government health program—Enroll in the "Kitchen Course in Nutrition" today and you will be rewarded by the assurance that you are helping your boys and girls to build a foundation for buoyant, good health throughout their lives. And at the same time you'll help your husband and yourself to keep youthfully strong and vigorous in both mind and body, for more years than you may have thought possible.

To enroll, simply send 25¢ and your name and address to:
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Guaranteed Quality—Choice Cuts		
BEEF POT ROAST	Tender, Meaty Shoulder Piece	29¢
Meaty Cuts—Young Grain-Fed	Lean End Roasts, up to 4 lbs.	32¢
PORK LOIN ROAST	Fine Quality Beef Plate Rib Cuts	17¢
For Baking or Braizing	Sliced or in Piece for Baking	29¢
BEEF SHORT RIBS	Tender, Tasty—Cut with Large Loin	31¢
Select Northern Quality	Porterhouse Steaks and T-Bone Steaks—Fine Quality Beef	42¢
SALMON & HALIBUT	Marcell's Palace Brand	30¢
Fancy Fed Quality		
LEGS OF LAMB		
Brisket Corned Beef	Boneless Cuts—Excellent Flavor	19¢
Eastern Sliced Bacon		

Sirloin Steaks and Tenderloin Steaks Guaranteed Quality pound 35¢

Prime Rib Roast Properly Aged for Tenderness and Full Flavor pound 32¢

Pork Sausage Pure—in Bulk—A Breakfast Favorite pound 27¢

Pork Shoulders Lean—Select Size Sweet Pickled pound 20¢

FRESH FRUITS and VEGETABLES are rich in Vitamins and Minerals

We make every effort to see that you get only top quality produce at Safeway . . . only the freshest, finest kind, rich in health-giving vitamins and other important body-building elements. That's why we can guarantee all Safeway Produce must please you 100%, or all your money refunded, without fuss or quibble.

At Safeway, you'll find all Fruits and Vegetables are sold by the pound . . . the full value way. You get only the amount you want and pay only for what you get.

GRAPEFRUIT Arizona Sun-kissed—Fancy Quality Large Sizes 5 Lbs. 15¢

Coachella SCHILL Brand Fancy Thin Skinned Lb. 4¢

ORANGES New Crop Southern Navels From Choice to Fancy Quality 5 Lbs. 20¢

Sunkist—Fancy Quality 5 Lbs. 25¢

POTATOES U. S. No. 1 Klomath 10 Lbs. 35¢

BANANAS Golden Ripe 2 Lbs. 17¢

RHUBARB Hot House—Extra fancy 2 Lbs. 25¢

RED POTATOES NEW U. S. No. 1 4 Lbs. 25¢

GARDEN PEAS FRESH Fancy Quality 2 Lbs. 19¢

BROCCOLI Fancy Quality—Iced Lb. 6½¢

APPLES WINESAP—Fancy No. 1—For Eating and Sauce 4 Lbs. 25¢

CARROTS Washed and Tops Off 3 Lbs. 10¢

These Foods Contain Vital MINERALS

MINERAL ELEMENTS for building sound bones and teeth and good red blood, and for regulating certain body processes.

CHERUB MILK	Tall can	3 for 24¢
SALMON	Pink—No. 1 can	17¢
SARDINES	Del Monte, Tomato—Natural or Mustard—No. 1 oval tin	10¢
SALT	Leslie, Plain or Iodized—2-lb. ctn.	7¢
OATS	Quaker—Quick or Regular 20-oz. tube	11¢
MOLASSES	Aunt Dinah No. 1½ can	2 for 19¢
PEANUT BUTTER	Real Roast 2-lb. jar	29¢
V-8 COCKTAIL	12½-oz. can	2 for 19¢
ALL-BRAN	Kellogg's 10-oz. ctn.	2 for 23¢
FRUIT JUICE	Orange & Grapefruit, Florida Gold, 12-oz. can	2 for 15¢
CHEESE	Swift's, Brookfield, American or Pimiento—½-lb. ctn.	19¢
CHEESE	Swift's Brookfield, Swiss Spread ½-lb. ctn.	21¢

Safeway Employees Buy Defense Bonds

Safeway employees are buying Defense Bonds regularly. Through a voluntary plan each employee decides how much he wants to set aside. The Company cooperates by regularly deducting this "Salary Allotment" from wages and with the accumulated savings buys bonds which are delivered directly to each employee by Uncle Sam.

Prices effective for Metropolitan Bay Area—Thurs., Fri. and Sat.—March 5th, 6th and 7th.

SAFEBWAY

Your help is needed in conserving paper

Military requirements of paper are causing a shortage of bags, wrapping paper and cartons. Extra care is needed to be sure none is wasted.

HERE'S HOW YOU CAN HELP:

1. By using a SHOPPING BAG.
2. By returning usable cartons.
3. By taking your order home without a carton if you have your car. Just tell us if you care to do this.

RAISINS Sun Maid Seedless 15-oz. ctn. 2 for 17¢	IVORY SNOW Toilet Soap 12½-oz. ctn. 22¢	SIERRA PINE Toilet Soap Reg. bar 6¢	LUX SOAP Toilet Reg. bar 3 for 19¢	CAMAY SOAP Toilet Reg. bar 3 for 19¢
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DECOTO GROUP ENJOYS DEFENSE STAMP PARTY

DECOTO — The Decoto Social Group held a defense card party at the Walker residence Saturday evening, February 28. Defense stamps were used for admission and later presented as prizes. High scores were won by Tony Costa and Mrs. Rosida Cunha, second prizes by Charles Brown and Mrs. Frances Mara.

After the card party dancing was enjoyed until a late hour. Refreshments of salad and crackers and coffee were served. Mrs. Charles Brown, who is convalescing from a critical operation at the Alameda Hospital was remembered by the members and a card signed by all those present.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Struckman, of San Leandro, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Campbell of Oakland, Mrs. Dondero of Newark, William Amaral of Decoto, Mr. and Mrs. Swenson of Decoto, Mrs. Machado of Centerville and Mrs. Geraldine LeWallen, lately of Green Forest, Arkansas were guests.

SURPRISE PARTY

IRVINGTON — On Saturday the First Aid Sewing Class gave Mrs. Stella Benbow a surprise birthday party at her home. Those present were Mesdames Minnie Rogers, George Scamman, Carl Mohn, Lillie Robinson, Lena Lemos Lee Williams and Ruth Mahaffy. Some of the Camp Fire Girls were also present, including Miss Georgia Cooper, Miss Doris Thomas, Miss Phyllis Day, Miss Beverly Soito, Miss Ethel Borge, Miss Doris Rose and Miss Nelda Hammond. During the afternoon the ladies made bandages after which refreshments were served. Games were played by the Camp Fire Group.

LIBRARY HOURS

NEWARK — Following are the hours of the Newark Library commencing Monday, March 9: Monday, Wednesday and Friday 7 to 8 p.m.; Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. The children of Newark are anxiously looking forward to the Story Hour to be held in the library April 1. It will be conducted by Miss Little from the juvenile department of the Alameda County Library.

IRVINGTON

Miss Agnes Raymond
Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Howe were seriously injured when the car in which they were riding went over a bank. Both were removed to the San Jose Hospital. Their daughter Mrs. Ann Rose who was driving the car escaped injury.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dargitz, Clytelle and Wanda Shepherd spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Horn in Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fussell are now residing in Irvington, having moved here from Warm Springs.

Mrs. Ann Mayock has returned to her home after spending a week with friends and relatives in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Sophie Qwerder was confined to her bed for several days due to illness but is reported to be along the road to recovery.

Miss Mary Candee, who has been living at the home of Miss Lloyd for several years was called to the home of her sister in Campbell, who was taken ill.

FAREWELL PARTY

CENTERVILLE — The entire staff of Centerville Branch of Bank of America and their wives tendered a surprise party to Ernest Pimentel at his home in Hayward last Thursday evening. Mr. Pimentel was recently promoted and transferred from Centerville to Emeryville Branch where he holds a responsible position. Howard B. White, on behalf of the staff, presented a beautiful table lamp, with appropriate remarks of the esteem in which Ernie was held by the staff, and the entire community as well. The evening was spent in card playing, followed by refreshments.

NEWARK SPORTSMEN INVESTIGATE SHARP SHOOTERS CORPS

NEWARK — At a recent meeting of the Newark Sportsmen's Club the following delegates were chosen: Stanley Majeski and Burly James, to State Council of Associated Sportsmen; H. C. Mikkelson A. C. Overeen, Joe Machado, Frank Caldeira and Joe Milani, district council.

The Sportsmen are investigating the possibility of forming a sharpshooters corps affiliated with the National Rifle Association. President Jolly has stated that groups to be furnished ammunition by this association are limited to organized sportsmen's clubs. The object of this training for young men is to be sharpshooters to know the use of rifles, and to act as mountain fighters. E. J. Keener and Nick Lewis were appointed to make this investigation.

Curt Vaughn left on Monday for Monterey where he enlisted in the United States parachute troops.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cunha and family are now living in their new home on Mission Street.

Mrs. L. Woollard of Oakland has returned to her home after spending 10 days at the home of Mrs. Isabel Sturtevant.

Mrs. Martha Stockton and son of San Jose spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Henry Weston here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Pennebaker, Mr. and Mrs. T. Wolff and young daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Truman La Bonte who were employed by the Pacific Gas and Electric company here have all moved to Colfax.

William Dargitz, who has been confined to his bed for several months, has improved and has been up and around for several days.

Billy Anderson has been recalled to the United States Army and left on Saturday for Monterey.

The Thursday Night Bridge Club was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Benbow. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pond, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Witherley of Mission San Jose, Mr. and Mrs. George Beardsley, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christensen.

Bob Wright has opened his new insurance office in the Lutz Building on Mission Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Viada and son of Pleasanton visited with the Sinclair family last weekend.

Miss Noll Mardis of Hayward spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perry of Irvington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Goularte and children, Esther and Leland visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Middleton and Miss Louise Rose in San Francisco last weekend.

Neighborhood NEWS

NEWARK PAVILION ENGAGES NEW CARETAKER COUPLE

NEWARK — The Newark Pavilion has employed Mr. and Mrs. Tony Silva of Newark as caretakers of the dance hall and grounds. The Pavilion was formerly taken care of by Mr. and Mrs. Frank DeSalles, who moved to Niles last week to make their home.

The Newark Pavilion, owned by the S. E. S. lodge of Newark was remodeled in December 1940 with one of the best dance floors and the longest bar in Alameda County. This place is the scene of the Newark Holy Ghost Fiesta held yearly and numerous dances are held here each Saturday evening of the year.

Plans are now being made for a dance Saturday evening at the Pavilion to be given by Curt Sykeologists of San Jose.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Castelano and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Nunes enjoyed a dinner and theatre party in Oakland Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Karius have returned to their home in Irvington after spending several days with relatives in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Catherine Brewer spent an enjoyable weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Pearl McGovern in San Francisco.

Mrs. Rudolph Frates of Salinas spent Friday and Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Mae Raymond here.

Sergeant LeRoy Raymond of Camp Roberts spent the last week end at his home in Irvington. A welcome home dinner was served on Sunday by the Raymond family. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Moll of Oakland and Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Frates of Salinas attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Frye and young daughter who formerly lived at the Costa apartments in Irvington are now residing in Centerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wright have returned to Oklahoma where they will spend several months with relatives.

DECOTO NEWS

Mrs. Edmund Francis
Correspondent

Mrs. Charles Brown of Decoto underwent a critical operation at the Alameda Hospital February 19, and is reported making a splendid recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Llewellyn, formerly of Decoto, recently of Green Forest, Arkansas have returned to California. Mrs. Llewellyn is visiting her brother, Charles Brown and other relatives here until Mr. Llewellyn is permanently located.

Our doctrine of equality and liberty and humanity comes from our belief in the brotherhood of man, through the fatherhood of God. — Calvin Coolidge.

The multitude which does not reduce itself to unity is confusion; the unity which does not depend upon the multitude, is tyranny. — Pascal.

SERVICES HELD FOR JAMES MILLER, NEWARK RESIDENT

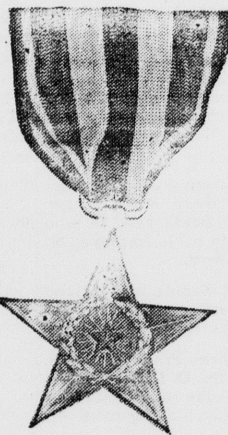
NEWARK — Funeral rites were held Tuesday morning at the Holy Ghost Cemetery in Centerville for James Miller, 37 years old of Newark. He passed away Saturday morning at the Highland hospital after suffering injuries from a recent automobile accident.

He was a resident of Newark for over twenty-two years and was born in the Eastern part of the United States. He was a member of the Moulders Union Local No. 164 of Newark and had been employed at the James Graham Manufacturing Company for over twenty-two years.

Services were held Tuesday at 9 a. m. at St. Edward's Catholic Church with Father McLaughlin officiating from the Chapel of the Palms mortuary in Centerville.

He is survived by his widow, Beatrice; two daughters, June and Leona; two sons, LaVerne and James, Jr.; sister, Pauline Brown all of Newark; and Henry Miller of Niles.

Jesus throws down the dividing prejudices of nationality, and teaches universal love, without distinction of race, merit, or rank. — Geikie.



SILVER STAR

The Silver Star is awarded to each person who, while an officer or enlisted man in the Army of the United States is cited for gallantry in action and the citation was published in orders issued from the headquarters of a force commanded by, or which is the appropriate command of a general officer or issued by the War Department, which citation does not warrant the award of the Medal of Honor or Distinguished Service Cross. A bronze star in the center thereof a raised silver star, the center lines of all rays of both stars coinciding. The reverse to have the inscription "For gallantry in action" and a space for the name of the recipient. It is suspended by a silk moire ribbon in stripes of blue, white and red.

STORK SHOWER

DECOTO — Mrs. Helen Brown entertained fourteen guests February 19 at a luncheon and stork shower for Mrs. Margaret Johnson of Newark. A delicious two-course luncheon was served at noon. The table was beautifully and appropriately decorated and was much admired as were the other flower arrangements in the room. Many beautiful and useful gifts were received by the honor guest after which the time was pleasantly spent playing cards.

BABY SHOWER HONORS NEWCOMER FROM BAKERSFIELD

On Wednesday afternoon, February 25, Niles friends of Mrs. Rena Harrelson surprised her with a baby shower at the home of Mrs. Margaret Taylor of Niles. Among those present were Mrs. Addie Harrelson, Mrs. John McGown, Mrs. Dave Fisher, Mrs. Mary Duarte, Mrs. Vachle Dickerson, Mrs. John Talley.

Gifts were sent by Mrs. Emma Pine of Niles, Mrs. Jack Cahill of Oakland.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

NEWARK — A birthday party was held Friday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Calderia on Railroad Avenue in honor of their daughter, Yvonne, who celebrated her thirteenth birthday. The afternoon was spent in playing games and refreshments were served. Many beautiful gifts were received. Those present were Beverly Nevis, Rosemary Trinidad, Dolores Piezote, Mary Allen Webster, Opal Taylor, Violet Machado, Loretta Calderia, Jerry Fraga, Laura Silva, Doris Phippen, Anna Mae Pierce, Darlene Calderia, Harold Calderia, Leonard Lyons, Beverly Brown, Yvonne Calderia, Evelyn Santos, Ernestine Silva, Ruth Cotton, and Bobby Cotton.

Whoever in prayer can say, "Our Father," acknowledges and should feel the brotherhood of the whole race of mankind. — Tryon Edwards.

CENTERVILLE BASKETBALL SQUADS CONCLUDE SUCCESSFUL SEASON

The Centerville Elementary school basketball squads directed by Principal Thomas P. Maloney have concluded a most successful season.

The lightweight team, undefeated in league play for the last five years, again won the championship of their division.

The scores follow:
Centerville 30 — Mt. Eden 8.
Centerville 18 — Pleasanton 16.
Centerville 11 — Newark 17.
Centerville 20 — Niles 11.
Centerville 15 — Mission San Jose 8.

Centerville 20 — Irvington 6.
Centerville 17 — Alviso 11.
Centerville 28 — Decoto 9.
Centerville 15 — Newark 13.
Centerville 11 — Bret Harte 3.
Centerville 24 — Newark 14.
Centerville 12 — Niles 10.

The members of the lightweight squad were: Yutaka Hayashi, Ben Oku, Robert Motozaki, Irving Alameda, Robert Silveira, Jiro Nakamura, Keiji Shimizu, Melford Alameda, Ronald Sylvestri, Harold Rogers.

The Centerville unlimiteds also had an impressive record and were Co-champions of the Washington Township League.

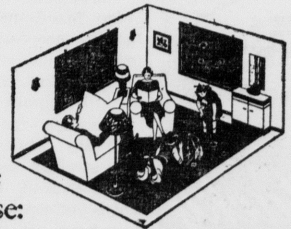
Scores of the unlimited games follow:

Centerville 14 — Mt. Eden 9.
Centerville 18 — Mt. Eden 13.
Centerville 23 — Pleasanton 12.
Centerville 15 — Pleasanton 7.
Centerville 17 — Niles 12.
Centerville 15 — Mission San Jose 13.

Centerville 7 — Irvington 8.
Centerville 17 — Alviso 11.
Centerville 24 — Decoto 13.
Centerville 18 — Newark 11.
Centerville 26 — Bret Harte 14.
Centerville 31 — Newark 12.
Centerville 20 — Niles 11.
Centerville 20 — Bret Harte 17.

The members of the unlimited squad were: Milton DeBorba, Alwin Lum, Adolph Enos, Masaru Minamoto, Alfred Gomes, Ronald McCord, Harold Alameda, Anthony Dutra, Arthur Thomas.

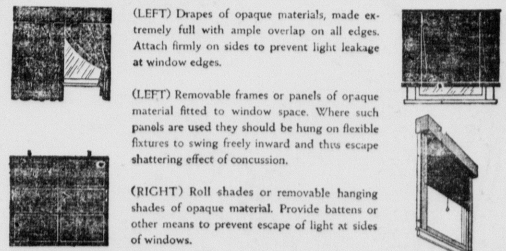
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- 2 Arrange installations for complete blacking out of all windows, transoms and skylights in the selected room, employing one of the officially approved methods recommended by Civilian Defense Authorities.
- 3 Provide your blackout space with ample lighting facilities so that family activities may continue... games for the children, reading and other diversions for the adults. Light and occupation help banish fear.
- 4 Simple, easy to use blackout devices are preferable. Build them so that they can be quickly utilized or applied. In the absence of air raid alarms, live as you are accustomed to live.

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VIEWS & OBSERVATIONS

By The
Editor

Communications from Register readers, agreeing or disagreeing with the Editor's viewpoint on subjects discussed in this column, are invited. Communications must bear the name of the writer, which will be withheld from publication by request.

THE CONFUSION resulting from last week's enemy reconnaissance flight over Los Angeles must make the enemy laugh. We revealed where our ack-acks and searchlights were located, and how many of them there were: which is just what the enemy wanted to know.

His planes cruised slowly to draw our ground fire. Was there anything to prevent our pursuit planes from pursuing the enemy back to his hidden bases, or did the men higher up forget to issue the imperatively needed order? If the pilots went "on their own" they would be court-martialed. The man behind the gun more often knows what to do than the nice, clean general who sits in a safe office somewhere behind the lines.

Perhaps Secretary Knox of the navy should quit guessing at long distance and let army announcements come from the Secretary of War. I have a feeling we will have another secretary of the navy before this war is over.

REPORTERS asked the President at his press conference last week if MacArthur could not be brought out of the Philippines? The President answered there was no way to get him out.

Prior to that newspapers carried word that a special plane is being held on Bataan in which to bring MacArthur out if and should his troops fall.

The President further said he doubted if MacArthur would leave the Islands should he be ordered to do so. As commander in chief of all our armed forces the President should know that every soldier and officer obeys the orders given him by his superiors.

Is the President too busy with his domestic manufacturing business to give time to running this war... or doesn't he know his own mind?

The President is the chief and MacArthur will do as he is ordered. The common man wonders if Mr. Roosevelt has any personal plan for fighting this war, other than the Churchill grand strategy of next year?

Pardon U.S. while we gently swoon—o-onn.

There will be no shortage of sugar for summer canning needs according to Frank W. Clark, vice chairman of the State Council of Defense. He received this good news from Washington recently.

ON TUESDAY the Japs sent out 18 bombers to destroy one of our aircraft carriers near the Gilbert Islands. The Nips reported (to their own people) they sank the carrier and their planes returned safely.

As a matter of fact 16 of the 18 enemy bombers were destroyed, six of them by one of our pilots alone. Though we lost two planes the carrier was not touched.

The Oakland Tribune reported editorially that more than one-quarter of all Japan's known tonnage of merchant shipping had been sunk during the first three months of the war.

On Tuesday the British bombed the great Renault airplane engine factory, busy producing arms for the nazis, outside Paris and killed about 600 French civilians. Darlan no doubt will now declare war, thus completing the degradation of the French nation. Their navy will no doubt be handed over to the axis. England expects all this; expects to lose Rangoon, and make the next stand in India.

Java may fall if the Japs succeed in landing more troops.

Looks bad for the United Nations? Not at all. The Japs are now spread out so far and so thin, with their supply lines so entirely vulnerable and their merchant marine suffering such staggering losses it will not be difficult for our Pacific fleet to start mopping up at will pretty soon.

The Japs have quit trying to dislodge MacArthur. Some 30,000 Igorotte headhunters in the Philippines have sworn war to the death against the Japs. There is no fifth column in Java.

The Japs are getting weaker each day while we get stronger. The strategy seems to be to let them expend themselves, after which we can start our offensives anywhere we wish. The main Japanese navy is kept close to Japan... in spite of which we could launch bombing raids of Japanese cities from bases on Alaska or in China.

There's going to be lots of fighting ahead, and lots of victories and in the long run these early reverses

will not prove too important. We'll keep our chins up until our Victory Fleet gets to work. The enemy has not yet proved a match for us at any point of contact, where our respective resources are about equal. This war is going to end our way, and no one should doubt it for a minute.

BELIEVE it or not: there are more automobiles in California alone than are privately owned by all the nationals of the axis nations, Germany, Italy and Japan combined.

We are a rich and powerful people and we will make our weight felt soon.

MISSION SAN JOSE

Miss Ruth Justus
Correspondent

Arthur Rhode of San Francisco is spending several days here helping his wife remodel the former home of Dr. Theo. Nichols. They are cleaning and plating and very soon the place will be ready for a coat of paint.

Miss Catharine Jacksick of San Jose was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Periera on Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Connell of Camp Connell, Calif., Mrs. Bertha Elliott of Salinas, and Mrs. Ed Scown of Los Angeles arrived at the home of Mrs. Grace Meyers on Friday to attend the funeral of their uncle, Frank Casena of Santa Clara who passed away suddenly with a heart attack. They all left for their respective homes on Sunday.

Nearly fifty persons attended the meeting held at the Solon Building Thursday evening to take more instruction in defense work in our immediate neighborhood.

Mrs. Mamie Monize barely escaped death a few days ago when the car in which she was riding, driven by her girl friend overturned on the bay shore highway. She is somewhat bruised but has no broken bones.

Alfred Bonner of Point Arena, former Missionite returned to pay his friends here a visit on Saturday and Sunday. He also spent some time in Niles with relatives.

On Friday Mrs. Florence Castro was notified from St. Louis, Missouri, of the tragic death of her brother, Merle Banta, aged 38, who fell to his death while employed on construction work.

Miss Molly Santos of Oakland spent last Tuesday at the home of her mother Mrs. Helen Santos here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yamada, employees at the O. L. Starr home spent Wednesday and Thursday in San Francisco visiting relatives.

David Witherly, who is in defense work at Vallejo has been ill at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Witherly for the past week with the flu. He returned to his work on Tuesday morning.

Miss Elaine Souza and her brother Donald of Ripon spent the holiday at the home of their aunt and cousin Mrs. Rose Rogers and daughter Lorraine.

Mrs. Steve Bailey, newcomer to our town from Crystal City, Texas, was confined to her bed for a week with a severe attack of tonsillitis.

CALIFORNIA TAXPAYERS TOO GENEROUS

Chas. J. McColgan, Franchise Tax Commissioner, announced that many California taxpayers are overpaying State income taxes. The overpayments result from taxpayers failing to claim the correct amount of personal exemption under the State act, which allows a single individual a personal exemption of \$1,000, and married individuals living together during the entire year, a personal exemption of \$2,500. Failure to claim the correct personal exemption for State income tax purposes is apparently occasioned by the misapprehension of taxpayers that the personal exemption of \$750 for single individuals and \$1,500 for married individuals allowed under the Federal Revenue Act is the full amount allowable under the State act.

The recent Victory book drive launched by the Township branch libraries under the county library brought in 50,000 books for use by men in service in response to the quota of only 10,000 books.

The 10-class course in civilian defense conducted twice a week in the high school auditorium with Deputy Sheriff Peter Starasnic in charge came to an end last Friday evening.

A total of 698 dog licenses were issued in Southern Alameda County up to last week, according to S. A. Pearson deputy county clerk.

Private Vernon Ellsworth spent Friday visiting his folks at Niles. He was on pass from the Air Service Command at the Presidio of San Francisco, where he is stationed.

C. N. Myrick, who is not well, has retired from the Southern Pacific company and he and his wife and family moved from Niles to Centerville on Saturday.

Each dial of the four-faced clock on San Francisco's Ferry Building is 22 feet in diameter, with numerals three feet long.

Every large ship in the U. S. Navy and many of the smaller ones publish a daily press sheet in mimeographed form; the items are picked up by radio.

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THIS NEWSPAPER

ATTEND CONVENTION

NEWARK — Principal Jack MacGregor of the Newark Elementary School attended the Convention of the American Association of School Administrators in San Francisco this week. There were 12,000 people attending the conference throughout the week. The teachers of the Newark School attending the meeting on Tuesday were Vice-principal Miss Mary Shea; Miss Marjorie Iglehart, Mrs. S. Ash, Mrs. Kathleen Voorhees, and Mrs. Elsie Merritt.

NEWARK

Eugene Pashote
Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bertolotti were honored Sunday on their twentieth wedding anniversary in Pleasanton at the home of Mrs. Nancy Fracisco. About twenty guests were present. Many beautiful gifts were received and refreshments were served.

The project leaders of the Newark Farm Home Department will meet March 11 at the Hayward Methodist Church with project leaders of all of Alameda County.

Edward Neves, formerly of Newark, now of Hayward and Miss Dorothy Neves of Watsonville were married Sunday at the Reno Catholic Church.

Wes Nichols of Newark, an employee of the Westvaco Chlorine Products Corporation has been appointed Assistant Scoutmaster for the Newark troop.

Fire Chief Fred Rogers of the Centerville Fire Department and Fire Chief Joe Pashote of the Newark Fire Department attended the fire section meeting of the Alameda County Council of Defense Tuesday at the District Attorney's office in Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Boyce and Mr. and Mrs. James Nevis attended a dinner in San Francisco Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Collins spent Sunday at Sacramento visiting a sick patient.

Mrs. Nora Meid, Mrs. M. R. Nunes and Mrs. Pete Nunes spent Monday at LeGrand in Merced County visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Turner.

The eight aces bridge club met Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gyax. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Fred Muller took a carload of Newark Presbyterian women to a San Francisco Presbyterian meeting on Wednesday.

Mrs. Sam Scott of Birch Road entertained at her home a group of women whose husbands are employed at the Westvaco Chlorine Products. These women are new to the Newark community, and the purpose of this gathering was to get better acquainted.

The Newark bridge club met at the home of Mrs. Ray Truscott on Friday evening. Refreshments were served.

ELECT OFFICERS

NEWARK — At a recent meeting of the Women's Improvement Club the following officers for the ensuing year were elected: Mrs. Joe Hardy, president; Mrs. Dora Fuller, vice-president; Mrs. Charlotte May, secretary; and Mrs. Dora Fuller, treasurer. The club will give a dinner for its members at the International Kitchen at Niles Tuesday evening.

Supervisor George Hellwig was a pleasant caller Tuesday afternoon at The Township Register.

NEWARK CLUB WINS COUNTY WINTER LEAGUE TITLE

NEWARK — The Winter league was brought to a glorious close Sunday afternoon at the Newark School grounds, when the Sportsmen defeated the Melrose Boosters in a hard fought game by the score of 2 to 1. With this victory Newark earned the undisputed championship of the Southern League Division of the Alameda County Winter league.

The game was a pitchers battle from the outset. King of Melrose and Roy Duarte of Newark pitched on a par, with each hurler giving up five hits. Duarte, however, was the steadier as he did not issue a base on balls. Each club accorded their pitcher brilliant support, with players on each side coming up with spectacular plays. The playing of Joe Dutra, third baseman for the Sportsmen was nothing short of sensational. During the course of the afternoon's play he handled twelve chances without a miscue, and several of them were very difficult.

Following is the order in which the clubs finished the season: Newark Sportsmen, Melrose Boosters, Ramos Drugs, Duarte and O'Neil, Machinists Union, and the Hayward Acorns.

The Newark Club will continue to play strong independent clubs, until they can enter some strong league for play during the summer season. Next Sunday they will have one of the stronger clubs from Oakland as their opponents in Newark at 2 p. m.

ATTEND INSTALLATION

NEWARK — The Newark Boy Scouts attended the Installation of the newly organized Alvarado Boy Scout troop and the District Court of Honor on February 26. Dick Mager, Pratt D. Truscott, and Allan Carter received tenderfoot pins; Joseph Hilton and Carl Pierce, second class pins; Joseph Hilton and Luther Hudson, perfect attendance pins. The service stars for a year in the Scouts were awarded to Earl Ewer, R. Ewer, R. Tuchen, J. Hilton, Hudson, and Dick Texeira.

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Township Defense Activities

LEGION NAMES LOCAL DEFENSE COMMITTEES

Pursuant to instructions received from the Department of California of the American Legion... Commander Sam Scott of Washington Township post at their meeting on Wednesday night of last week appointed the following members of the Legion's National Defense Committee for Washington Township:

Walter Waynflete, chairman, assisted by J. Jack Vieux, M. F. Swartz, John E. Dutra, Harold Houghton, Geo. L. Smith, Geo. S. Roderick, Arthur W. Cotton, Joseph F. Corey;

Naval Affairs Committee—Albin M. Hallstrom, M. C. Dassel, Harold Houghton;

Military Affairs — Raymond Peterson, Frank X. Veit, Frank R. Mendonca;

Air Cadet — Geo. L. Smith, Joseph G. Duarte, E. E. Hammond; Marine Corps Recruiting — Joseph R. Nunes, John W. Myers, Joe L. Furtado;

Merchant Marine Affairs — Roland Bendel, Fred Rieder, John T. Amaral;

Defense Bond and Stamp Sale—Walter Waynflete, M. P. Mathieson, Anthony E. Francis;

Civil Defense — J. Jack Vieux, John E. Dutra, Joseph F. Corey;

Civilian Morale — Arthur W. Cotton, E. D. Bristow, Wm. L. McWhirter, R. A. Griffin, Dale V. Carithers, Jos. S. Brown.

The Sanford Circle is meeting this Friday afternoon in the Niles Congregational Church Guildroom to hear a talk by Reverend J. L. Webster of Newark.

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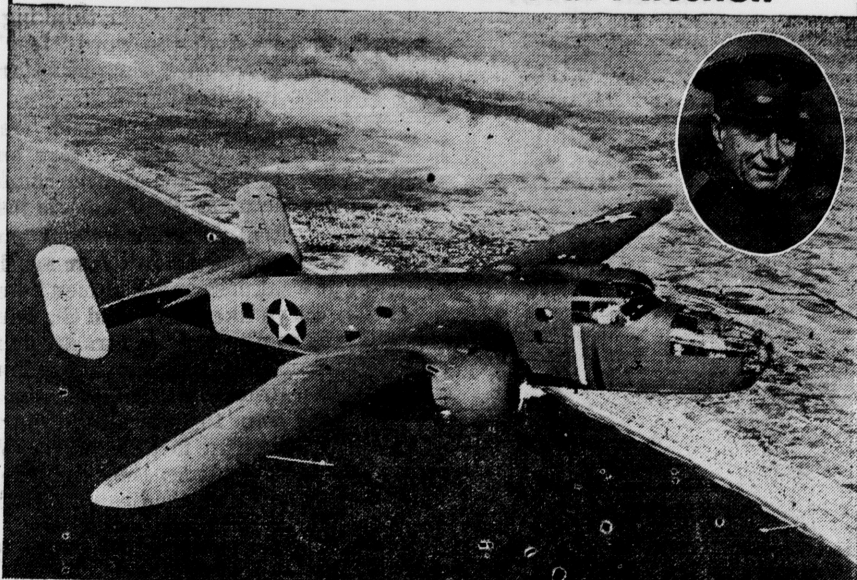
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Bomber Honors General Mitchell



The spirit of the late Brig. General Billy Mitchell rides with the sky armada of the United States Army Air Force. North American Aviation, Inglewood, Calif., has named this airplane the Mitchell Bomber in recognition of the exploits of this outstanding aviation figure. The plane is the B-25.

INCOME TAX INFORMATION

Taxes due on a return filed for the calendar year 1941 may be paid in full at the time of the filing of the return on or before March 16, 1942. The tax may, at the option of the taxpayer, be paid in four equal installments instead of in a single payment, in which case the first installment is to be paid on or before March 16, the second on or before June 15, the third on or before September 15, and the fourth on or before December 15, 1942. If the taxpayer elects to pay his tax in four installments, each of the four installments must be equal in amount, but any installment may be paid, at the election of the taxpayer, prior to the time prescribed for its payment. If an installment is not paid in full on or before the date fixed for its payment, the whole amount of the tax remaining unpaid is required to be paid up on notice and demand from the collector.

The tax must be paid to the collector of internal revenue for the district in which the taxpayer's return is required to be filed, that is, to the collector for the district in which is located the taxpayer's legal residence or principal place of business, or if he has no legal residence or principal place of business in the United States, then to the Collector of Internal Revenue at Baltimore, Maryland.

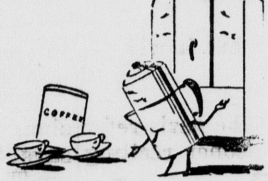
The tax due, if any, should be paid in cash at the collector's office, or by check or money order payable to "Collector of Internal

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NILES LOCALS

Miss Rosemary McDonald Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Caldwell spent a two weeks vacation with their son and daughter, Troy Taylor and Mrs. Harrelson of Niles.

The fire chiefs of this Township met on Tuesday to plan for cooperative action of the various fire departments in time of emergency. Those present were Tony Alves of Niles, Fred Rogers of Centerville, Joe Pashote of Newark, Roland Bendel of Decoto, Joe Corey of Irvington, Matt Whitfield of Mission San Jose.

The Business and Professional Women's Club will meet Monday night at seven for dinner at the International Kitchen. At this meeting a nominating committee will be appointed for the forthcoming election of officers. The guest speaker will be from Livermore and there will be several other Livermore guests. Mrs. Leona Rathbone is president of the club.

Mrs. F. H. Smith of Honolulu, wife of Chief Warrant Officer F. H. Smith, Headquarters Hawaiian Dept. at Fort Shafter, Honolulu arrived in Niles Sunday from Honolulu and will make her home with her brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. William D. Cull for the duration.

Mrs. Sena Carr, Noble Grand of Niles Rebekah Lodge, announces the election of Mrs. Catherine Parry of the local lodge as District Deputy President of District No. 53 for the coming year. Mrs. Parry will have the endorsement of the other lodges in the district. The induction of all incoming District Deputy Presidents will take place at a meeting of the Rebekah Assembly which convenes in San Jose in May.

Mrs. Ruth Mitchell, District Deputy President of District No. 53 will pay an official visit to the Niles Rebekah Lodge on March 6. She will also hold a school of instruction for recently installed officers of the local lodge. For this meeting Mrs. Ivy Cull is chairman of the refreshment committee and will be assisted by Mrs. Fern Mitte, Mrs. Mary Bernard, Mrs. Maude Siler, Mrs. Catherine Parry, Mrs. Sena Carr. The decoration committee consists of Mrs. Ann Stanhope, Mrs. Beatrice Fournier and Mrs. Jennie Mohn.

Defense Welding classes are being held at Washington Union High school under the direction of Mr. Louis Joseph. The men are taught acetylene and arc welding. Thirty members have enrolled. Nine of the members secured positions in defense industries. Classes are held from six to twelve every night of the week with the exception of Saturday and Sunday.

The Friendly Sewing Circle will meet Monday afternoon March 9 at the home of Mrs. Roy Rose. Nomination and election of officers for the new term will take place at this meeting.

Mrs. Julia S. Cull and little son William Harold are moving to Richmond this week where they will make their future home.

Mrs. Evelyn Burke of Berkeley spent Sunday visiting friends in Niles.

The Y. L. I. and Knights of Columbus will have a joint Communion breakfast in Centerville next Sunday following attendance at mass at the Holy Ghost church. Mrs. George Rogers is in charge of the arrangements for the breakfast.

Mr. E. D. Bristow attended Dad's night at his daughter, Mary Virginia's sorority Kappa Kappa Sigma on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cattaneo spent Wednesday in Vallejo visiting Mr. Cattaneo's parents Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cattaneo, formerly of Niles. Miss Mary Cattaneo graduated from the Vallejo High school in January and has a position with the telephone company at Napa.

Eddie Manuel is ill with pneumonia at his home and is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Braun entertained 14 at a family dinner Sunday night in honor of Mrs. Braun's son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Wargin. Mr. Wargin, who was with the California Hawaiian Sugar company at Crockett has a position with the General Electric company at Schenectady, New York. Mr. and Mrs. Wargin left Tuesday morning for New York.

The Anniversary meeting of the Past Matrons and Patrons of Orient Chapter, O. E. S. will be held on March 11th at the Masonic Hall in Centerville. Mrs. Lesda Brown, Worthy Matron presiding, and Mrs. Wilda Mette will have charge of refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pine of Niles have been in Oakland the last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. George Duffey spent Sunday in Brentwood visiting Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kearns.

The Past President's Club of the Y. L. I. met on February 24 at the home of Mrs. Mary Nunes and all eleven members were present. The next meeting will be held on March 24 at the home of Mrs. Madeline Santos.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Carr of Alameda and Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Carr spent Sunday in Santa Cruz.

Frances Fearnley of Aurora, Oregon, now living at the Hotel Belvoir, was the guest of friends in Merced on Sunday.

About two dozen young women of Washington Township attended the tea held at the Country Club house on Sunday afternoon. They all received with enthusiasm the idea of giving a dance for the enlisted men of the Township.

Mrs. Vincent Marchman was the dinner guest on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. George Rogers.

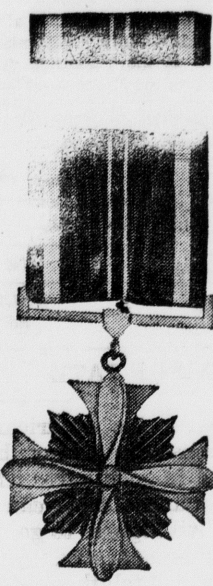
Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Carr have received word from their son, Corporal Herbert Carr who is stationed at Midway Island. Herbert reports that he is well and happy and enjoys some good fishing at Midway.

Mrs. Marion Zwissig, Mrs. Rose Vieux and Mrs. Theresa Schwartz attended the Forty and Eight Dinner at the Women's City Club in Oakland on Tuesday night.

Sojourners night was held Wednesday evening by the Masonic Lodge at Centerville with Warren Gravestock, master, in charge, followed by a choppino feed prepared by Marston Dassel.

The annual communion and breakfast of the Centerville council of the Knights of Columbus will be held Sunday morning at the Holy Ghost church in Centerville, with breakfast following in the high school cafeteria. George Coit, W. M. Lewis and Dan Alves are in charge of arrangements.

John Berchem of Niles expects to be called into service with the naval intelligence any day now.



THE DISTINGUISHED FLYING CROSS

The Distinguished Flying Cross is awarded to any person, who, while serving in any capacity with the Army Air Corps of the United States, including the National Guard and the Organized Reserves, subsequent to April 6, 1917, has distinguished himself or shall distinguish himself by heroism or extraordinary achievement, while participating in an aerial flight.

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One half of the proceeds of the forthcoming St. Patrick's dance Saturday night, March 14 given by the Newark Sportswomen's club at the Newark Pavilion will be used to buy defense bonds for the organization, the other half to be presented to the government towards buying a bomber.

Members of the Irvington Y. L. I. met Tuesday at the home of the president, Anna C. Rose, to plan for the grand president's official visit.

Hayward Parlor will join with Betsy Ross parlor of Native Daughters at Anderson's hall in Centerville tonight (Friday) to receive Grand President Clarice Cook of Stockton on her official visit.

Reverend Richard C. Day resumed his pastorate at the Niles Congregational Church on Sunday morning following three months sick leave. A fine congregation was present to hear his Sunday morning sermon.

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THE IRONY OF FATE

The Nisei, the American-born or second generation Japanese are taking their evacuation from the coastal area in good part. Through their state president the Japanese American Citizens League has expressed its willingness to go peacefully, sacrifice their property and businesses, "for the duration", once the government will tell them where to go.

If this group is sincere in their statements, they should be dealt with fairly and as kindly as possible. The joker in the deck is that, should bombings occur on the west coast, the property of Japanese residents is just as likely to be destroyed as that of native Americans.

The Nisei as a group are between two fires; that they can be good sports about it is to be commended. They did not start this war, nor did we; and if the authorities feel better with all Japanese removed well into the interior then that's the way it has to be.

The decent members of the Nisei should regard their migration inland as a great adventure, rather than a tragedy.

The fact that the government reports 35,000 aliens on the West Coast who deliberately failed to register in either of the alien sign-ups shows a fifth column potential of dangerous proportions;

The fact that the F. B. I. is still picking up truckloads of contraband articles — two-way radios, guns, dynamite, bombs, sabers, cameras etc. — three months after the first order prohibiting their possession by aliens shows a deliberate intention, particularly by foreign born Japanese, to evade the law and try and "get away with it."

The only answer is removal of ALL foreigners, the law falling on the just as well as the unjust, which is characteristic of the law.

Removal of aliens is the only answer and the awkward part is that, in case of enemy bombing raids on this coast the removed aliens will be safe at inland points while we coastal residents have to take it, — from their countrymen!

Such is the irony of fate! — W.W.

THE RETURN TO FIRST PRINCIPLES

This is war — and getting hurt financially or economically is of no importance compared to getting hurt bodily. "You can't take it with you", and the matter of the preservation of human bodies in health and comparative safety is the prime consideration.

After all, we softies can live much more simply than we do, and we'd be the better and the happier for doing with less and living more as God intended us to live: clothes to wear, food to eat, a place to live in and a work which we enjoy doing are the prime essentials of life . . . anything beyond that is superfluous and ornamental, and can be dispensed with, and probably will be dispensed with, before this hell's war is over.

The older generation can remember when a horse and buggy was a part of the family, when life moved more genially, when friends meant more than they do now, when time moved more slowly, and spiritual values were real and satisfying.

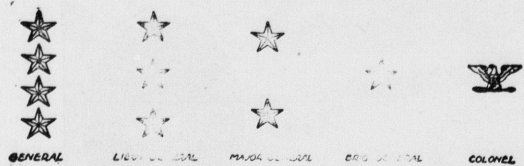
The "good old days" were really good, notwithstanding the jokesmiths. Our lives have been accelerated far out of tempo since the advent of movies, automobiles, airplanes . . . and the universal use of white paper cigarettes.

Our forbears were strong and honest, because they lived simple lives in close contact with nature and God. Their religion was the moving force in their

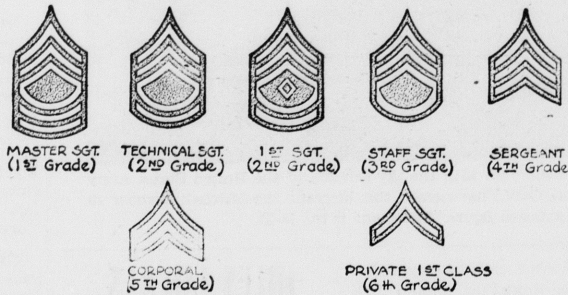
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lives; they knew their God: most moderns don't. Today we have too many creeds and doctrines, and not enough pure religion. Very few persons read or know, least of all understand their Bibles: that great source-book of all creation and man's place therein.

The great men of American history were great because they were strong physically: they walked or rode horseback for great distances; they had no overstuffed mattresses to sleep on; grocery stores were stocked only with the bare necessities of life; their diet was coarse and satisfying. Health was their first consideration . . . nowa-days soft people try to get health out of bottles and fads and cures. Health can still be found in the only place it ever has been found, namely: in rugged living.

A sound body produces a sound mind and we do not have many sound minds today because most of our bodies are flabby from years of automobile driving and office-sitting. . . There is a divine plan and purpose in this greatest of all wars quite aside from the slaughter and the change of ownership of various parcels of land.

The Plan has not yet appeared — but it will. — W.W.

International law — remember? The nazis refer to it even now. Something like a prisoner reciting poetry while on his way to the gallows.

THE VALUE OF MONEY

One by-product of this war will be teaching people the value of money. A dollar is treated with less respect today than a five cent piece was a generation ago.

Folks today are used to having money flow in and flow out again, without making any particular effort to check any part of it.

There is not money enough in existence to pay for this war, and in the months to come there may not be money enough to go around for all of the U. S. So we will learn the value of money, which at best is only a medium of exchange, and will learn to live more frugally, and we will all be happier by so doing. Our ordinary meals today are luxurious compared to the simple and hearty fare of a generation or two ago.

Meantime, science has discovered for us a lot of fancy ailments which have developed around us as a result of too soft living.

The signs are all pointing definitely in one direction: that is, back to first principles, to self-denial, to contentment with what we have, to elimination of surplus and simplification of demands, to virtue, honor and manhood.

For all of which we will become wiser and better Americans — and Christians!

COURAGE IN WAR TIME

A newspaper columnist has finally caught up with your editor's suggestion that the word "defense" be eliminated from our thinking. . . Your scribe will here propose that the word "fear" also be taboo-ed from public releases emanating from responsible authorities in Washington.

"Fear of bombing", "fear of invasion", "fear Rangoon will fall", "fear for the safety of our nationals" etc. etc. all give comfort to the enemy. Fearing them and their work is just what they want.

Real Americans don't have to fear the Japanese, and real men don't fear anything. Fear is a product of weakness and real men hate weakness. "Be strong, quit ye like men" said St. Paul and a lot of our fighting soldiers and sailors are doing just that: ac-quitting themselves like men every hour of these trying days.

More fighting spirit and the total elimination of fear from the thinking of our too-civilized leaders at Washington is demanded. We, The People do the actual fighting: they only do the planning — while keeping their bodies quite safe. Upon their inspired planning depend our lives.

A dose of bombs dumped on Washington will quickly eliminate a lot of stupid officialdom, particularly those dead-wood persons who have whittled out for themselves safe jobs and unnecessary, all at the public trough.

The pork barrel at Washington is as full of public hogs as it ever was in peace-time the syndicated news-writers report from time to time. The "threshing-house floor" at Washington surely will be thoroughly "purged" of vultures and parasites before this war is over.

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So far as danger goes, the fear is usually worse than the fact. According to Kipling: "If you can keep your head when all about you are losing their's . . ."

If a person lives aright and is right with God he need fear no one. Danger brings a challenge and the brave man accepts it without fear. "Trust God—and keep your powder dry" said Henry Bowie before the Alamo fell. That same spirit of do-and-die is what made America God's country — and it is still God's country today.

"Bring me men to match my mountains" begs Mother Nature . . . and she was not thinking of office desks and night clubs and pink teas when she said it. There is no substitute for manhood and womanhood.

This Universal War is America's greatest war and we have to extend ourselves to win it. With people dying of hunger and being killed by the thousands every day there will be time enough to plan the peace after we win the war, and after we see what is left of the nations among whom to make — and enforce, if need be — the peace to come.

In the meantime: prayer helps a lot — just the simple, down-on-your-knees old-fashioned kind that says: "Lord I believe. I put my hand in thine and I am Thine forever."

Amen.


The Lord "ribbed" man when he made woman . . . and she has been "ribbing" him ever since.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"Christ Jesus" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon Sunday, March 1, in all Church of Christ, Scientist, branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist in Boston, Massachusetts. The Golden Text was: "God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus," (Phil. 4: 19).

Other Bible citations included: "And Jesus walked in the temple in Solomon's porch. Then came the Jews round about him, and said unto him, How long dost thou make us to doubt? If thou be the Christ, tell us plainly. Jesus answered them, I told you, and ye believed not: the works that I do in my Father's name, they bear witness of me," (John 10: 23-25).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The Christ was the Spirit which Jesus implied in his own statements: 'I am the way, the truth, and the life.' I and my Father are one." This Christ, or divinity of the man Jesus, was his divine nature, the godliness which animated him," (p. 26).



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PUBLIC (LEGAL) NOTICE**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY ON EXECUTION**

No. 64755
 Robert Golder, Plaintiff vs.
 W. T. Whitfield, Defendant.
 By virtue of a Writ of Execution, issued out of the Municipal Court of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, wherein Robert Golder is Plaintiff and W. T. Whitfield is Defendant upon a judgment rendered by the said Court on the 7th day of May A. D. 1937 for the sum of \$100.00 in lawful money of the United States, besides interest and costs, I have heretofore levied upon all the right, title, claim and interest of W. T. Whitfield, who is also sometimes known as William Whitfield Defendant of, in and to the following described Real Property, to-wit:

All that certain real property, situate, lying and being in the County of Alameda, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at the Northwest corner of a tract of Six (6) acres conveyed by Juan Gallegos to J. B. McMinn by Deed recorded in the office of the Recorder of Alameda County in Liber 242 of Deeds at page 370, thence along the Northern boundary of said Tract North Fifty-nine and 1/2 degrees (59 1/2°) East Two and 78/100 (2.78) chains to a fence; thence along said fence North Thirty and 1/2 degrees (30 1/2°) West Nineteen and 89/100 (19.89) chains to the Southeast corner of a tract of land designated as Plot No. 21, on the Map hereinafter described thence along the Southern boundary of said Plot No. 21, South Fifty-three and 3/4 degrees (53 3/4°) West Fifteen and 78/100 (15.78) chains to the Southwest corner of said Plot No. 21, which is also the Southeast corner of the plot on said Map designated as No. 18 1/2; thence along a fence on the Southern boundary of said Plot No. 18 1/2 South Twenty-two and 3/4 degrees (22 3/4°) West Five and 80/100 (5.80) chains; thence along the same South Seventy-seven and 3/4 degrees (77 3/4°) West Two (2) chains; thence along the same South Sixty-five and 3/4 degrees (65 3/4°) West Nine and 91/100 (9.91) chains; thence along the same South Sixty-four and 3/4 degrees (64 3/4°) West Seven and 31/100 (7.31) chains to a post marked 18, 18 1/2, 22 and 27, being a corner common to Plots Nos. 18, 18 1/2, 22 and 27; as designated on said Map; thence leaving the fence and along the Eastern boundary of Plot No. 27 as designated on said Map, South Fifty-five degrees (55°) East Eleven and 33/100 (11.33) chains; thence South Eighteen degrees (18°) West Ten and 17/100 (10.17) chains to a post, the corner common to Plots Nos. 22, 23, 26 and 27, as designated on said Map thence along the Northern boundary of Plot No. 23, North Twenty-eight degrees (28°) East Four and 33/100 (4.33) chains; thence along the same, North Seventy-five and 1/4 degrees (75 1/4°) East Four and 22/100 (4.22) chains; thence along the same South Sixty-one and 1/2 degrees (61 1/2°) East Two and 80/100 (2.80) chains to the North side of a road Thirty (30) feet wide thence along the North side of said road South Seventy-one degrees (71°) East Ten and 56/100 (10.56) chains; thence along the same North Thirty-nine and 3/4 degrees (39 3/4°) East Ten (10) chains; thence along the same North Twenty-nine and 3/4 degrees (29 3/4°) East Nine and 64/100 (9.64) chains to a post on the Southwest corner of the aforesaid tract conveyed to J. B. McMinn; thence along the Western boundary of said Tract North Thirty and 1/2 degrees (30 1/2°) West Four and 24/100 (4.24) chains to the place of beginning.

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BEING a portion of the tract of land designated as Plot Numbered Twenty-two (22) on the Map entitled, "Map of Plots Nos. 1 to 52 and Blocks A, B, C, D, E of lands belonging to La Societe Francaise d'Epargne et de Prevoyance Mutuelle in Washington Township, Alameda County"—filed May 23rd 1881, in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda County.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that I will on Monday the 30th day of March A. D. 1942 at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of said day, in front of the Fallon Street entrance of the Court House, of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, sell at **PUBLIC AUCTION**, for lawful money of the United States all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant as above stated of, in and to the above described real property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc.; to the highest and best bidder.
 Dated: Oakland, Calif.
 March 6, 1942

H. P. Gleason
 Sheriff, Alameda County,
 California.
 By E. Kaufman
 Deputy Sheriff.

Chas. A. Sweigert
 Attorney for Plaintiff.
 605 Market St.,
 San Francisco, Calif.

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PUBLIC (LEGAL) NOTICE**ELECTION PROCLAMATION**

IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, REGULAR SESSION TUESDAY, MARCH 3rd, 1942

RESOLVED that whereas, the County Clerk of said County of Alameda has duly certified to this Board the list of candidates nominated for the Office of Director of the ALAMEDA COUNTY WATER DISTRICT, said district being situated wholly within the boundaries of said County of Alameda, as required by the Act of June 10, 1913, designated as Chapter 592 of the Chaptered Laws of 1913, as amended and it appearing to this Board that said certificate is in proper form and that said candidates have been nominated in the manner and within the time required by said Act, and whereas it further appears from said certified list that the names of the candidates and the offices to be filled are:

NAMES OF CANDIDATES
MANUEL J. BERNARD
FRANK T. DUSTERBERRY
W. D. PATTERSON
J. C. SHINN

OFFICES TO BE FILLED
 Three (3) Directors of Alameda County Water District

IT IS NOW ORDERED, that an election be held on Tuesday, the 24th day of March, 1942, within said district for the election of Three (3) directors of said District, and said election is hereby called and set for said time; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that said election shall be conducted in accordance with the general election laws of this State insofar as the same are applicable, and in accordance with the provisions of said Act of June 10, 1913, as amended (all references to said Act are to said Act as amended) and no person shall be entitled to vote at such election unless he shall possess all of the qualifications required for elections under general election laws of this State.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that the County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of this Board be, and he is hereby directed to cause notice of said election to be given by publication of this Proclamation for two successive weeks next before the day of said election in the ALVARADO PIONEER, ALVARADO; the WASHINGTON NEWS, CENTERVILLE; and the TOWNSHIP REGISTER, NILES, newspapers of general circulation printed and published in the said County Water District, such papers having been designated for such purposes by the Board of Directors of the said District.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that said election shall be held from the hour of six o'clock a. m. of said 24th day of March, 1942, when the polls will be open, until the hour of seven o'clock p. m. of said day when the polls will be closed; that from six o'clock a. m. of said day until seven o'clock p. m. of said day, the polls will be continuously open.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the purpose of said election, the election precincts, polling places and election officers therein, shall be as hereinafter set forth:

There shall be Seven (7) election precincts within said district for said election and the said precincts are hereby established and defined as follows:

Precinct No. 1 — Consisting of all of Niles Precinct No. 3 and Niles Precinct No. 4 and all those portions of Niles Precinct No. 1, Niles Precinct No. 2 and Niles Precinct No. 5 lying within the boundaries of Alameda County Water District, as said Precincts, as established and defined by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California, existed in December, 1941 for general State and County election purposes.

Polling Place — Court Room, Justice of the Peace, Niles
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Judge — Margaret Crane, P. O. Box 154, Niles
Clerk — A. J. Rezendez, R. F. D. Box 142, Niles.

Precinct No. 2 — Consisting of all of Decoto Precinct No. 1 and all those portions of Decoto Precinct No. 2 and Valle Vista Precinct lying within the boundaries of Alameda County Water District, as said Precincts, as established and defined by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California, existed in December, 1941 for general State and County election purposes.

Polling Place — Decoto Fire House, Decoto.
Inspector — Mrs. Katie Goularte, 101 "A" Street, Decoto
Judge — Geneva E. Smith, Decoto
Clerk — Emma S. Amaral, Decoto
Clerk — Jesse F. Perry, R. F. D.

Precinct No. 3 — Consisting of all of Centerville Precinct No. 1, Centerville Precinct No. 2, Centerville Precinct No. 3 and Centerville Precinct No. 4, as said Precincts, as established and defined by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California, existed in December, 1941, for general State and County election purposes.

Polling Place — Court Room, Justice of the Peace, Centerville
Inspector — Mabel Fitzgerald, P. O. Box 67, Centerville
Judge — Adeline R. Santos, Box 203, Centerville
Clerk — Laura Secada, R. F. D. 360, Niles
Clerk — Helen C. Rogers, P. O. Box 3 Centerville

Precinct No. 4 — Consisting of all of Newark Precinct No. 1, Newark Precinct No. 2 and Newark Precinct No. 3 as said Precincts, as established and defined by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California, existed in December, 1941, for general State and County election purposes.

Polling Place — Newark Fire House, Newark
Inspector — Rose E. Santos, Box 38 Newark
Judge — Mary L. Cockeair, 537 Olive Street, Newark
Clerk — Cecile Truscott, Box 24, Newark
Clerk — Dorothy N. Scott, 524 Birch Street Newark
Precinct No. 5 — Consisting of all those portions of Irvington Precinct No. 1 and Irvington Precinct No. 2 lying within the boundaries of Alameda County Water District, as said Precincts, as established and defined by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California, existed in December, 1941 for general State and County election purposes.

Polling Place — Maple Hall, Irvington
Inspector — George E. Scamman, Box 95, Irvington
Judge — Myrtle Corey, Irvington
Clerk — Annie L. Perry, Box 73, Irvington
Clerk — Florence Beardsley, Irvington
Precinct No. 6 — Consisting of all of Alvarado Precinct No. 1 and Alvarado Precinct No. 2 and all that portion of Mt. Eden Precinct No. 2 lying within the boundaries of Alameda County Water District, as said Precincts, as established and defined by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California, existed in December, 1941 for general State and County election purposes.

Polling Place — I. O. O. F. Hall, Alvarado
Inspector — Mrs. Helen Anderson, P. O. Box 112, Alvarado
Judge — Frank Roderick, R. F. D. Box 180, Newark
Clerk — John Dee, R. F. D. Box 79, Newark
Clerk — Annie L. Baird, P. O. Box 182, Alvarado
Precinct No. 7 — Consisting of all those portions of Mission Precinct No. 1 and Mission Precinct No. 2 lying within the boundaries of Alameda County Water District, as said Precincts, as established and defined by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California, existed in December, 1941, for general State and County election purposes.

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Inspector — Josephine Fernandez, Mission San Jose
Judge — Lena Solon, Mission San Jose
Clerk — Joe Azevedo, Mission San Jose
Clerk — Lena Silva Pereira, Mission San Jose
ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors this 3rd day of March, 1942, by the following vote:
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Noes: Supervisors — None
Absent: Supervisors — None
GEO. A. JANSSEN, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California
ATTEST: G. E. WADE, COUNTY CLERK and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, County of Alameda, State of California.
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PUBLIC (LEGAL) NOTICE

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No. 79683 Department 4
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Undersigned Executor of the Last Will and Testament of **JERUSHIA J. FERRY**, deceased, to all persons having claims against said decedent, to, within six months after the first publication of this Notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to me at the Law Office of E. A. Quaresma, Irvington, Alameda County, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

R. A. BLACOW,
 Executor aforesaid.
 Dated and first published this 6th day of February, 1942.
E. A. QUARESMA
 Irvington, California.
 Attorney for said Executor.

PUBLIC (Legal) NOTICE**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

No. 79838 Department 4
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Undersigned Executor of the Last Will and Testament of **F. H. SCOTT**, also known as **FREDERICK H. SCOTT** and also known as **FREDERICK HERBERT SCOTT**, deceased, to all persons having claims against said decedent, to, within six months after the first publication of this Notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to me at the Law Office of E. A. Quaresma, Irvington, Alameda County, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

H. L. SCOTT, Executor aforesaid.
 Dated and first published this 20th day of February, 1942.
E. A. QUARESMA
 Irvington, California
 Attorney for said Executor.

PUBLIC (LEGAL) NOTICE**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

No. 79987 Department 4
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Undersigned Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of **CATON LAWRENCE**, deceased, to all persons having claims against said decedent, to, within six months after the first publication of this Notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to me at the Law Office of E. A. Quaresma, Irvington, Alameda County, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

CARRIE C. LAWRENCE
 Executrix aforesaid
 Dated and first published this 6th day of March, 1942.
E. A. QUARESMA
 Irvington, California
 Attorney for said Executrix.

The FARMERS CORNER
 by **RALPH H. TAYLOR**

Executive Secretary
Agricultural Council
of California

The State Railroad Commission, probing for information on freight movements, has turned the spotlight on the fact that shipments of many California farm products have declined sharply in recent years.

And the newly-elected president of the Commission, Justus Craemer of Orange, accompanies his report on the drop in shipments from this State with some interesting and challenging observations as to factors contributing to the decline.

Admittedly, says Mr. Craemer, the California grower is at a disadvantage in shipping costs, due to his greater distance from the big Eastern markets. The freight cost on a carload shipment of fresh vegetables from California to New York is almost twice that of a shipment from Florida, for example. And the average cost of a carload of oranges delivered in New York from California is about \$600, while a carload shipped from Florida costs less than half that much.

But the California farmer, Mr. Craemer points out, has always had to hurdle the barrier of greater distance and, at the present time he asserts, "The West enjoys most favorable freight rates, particularly on its agricultural movements to

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the East, when volume and distance are considered."

What, then, are the major factors contributing to the decline in shipments of many California commodities?

Let Mr. Craemer answer the question in his own words. He reports:

"First, let's look at the California farmer's labor costs as compared to similar costs in competing States. The California growers pays in excess of \$70 for his average monthly labor wage. In New Jersey we find that level slightly above \$55; in New York State it has fallen below \$50; in Texas it is a shade above \$25; in Florida below \$25; and so on down until you get to Georgia with a labor cost as low as \$16.

"Second, let's look at tax costs. Our per capita tax eight year ago in California was \$85.06. In 1940, it was \$137.74, while the national average was only \$109. California residents paid 25 per cent more in taxes than the national per capita average! Among all states, California tops the tax list. Our national per capita tax this year will be about \$180 and in California it will exceed \$225 — and next year, it is estimated, it will be \$325."

Higher labor costs and higher taxes have combined to increase the California farmer's costs of doing business, according to the Craemer report and as a consequence he has been forced to step up the price he must get for his commodities. The ability of farmers in other states to produce for less — and sell for less — has undoubtedly been the biggest single factor in cutting down the demand for California products in highly competitive wholesale and retail markets, according to Mr. Craemer. But the responsibility for higher production costs can not be laid at the door of the California farmer. Taxes and labor costs — two "fixed charges" the farmer can't reduce by more efficient operation — are the trouble makers.

"There is still another factor of importance," reports the railroad commissioner. "When growers in the South and Middle West received payments from the government for retiring acres from production, they were under no limitation to prevent them from producing other commodities which directly compete with us. Truck and vegetable crop acreages increased in the rest of the United States, all to the detriment of the California grower. In the poultry industry, egg shipments from California to Eastern markets in 1929 totaled in excess of 2,000 cars. In 1940 shipments stood at exactly 200 cars—a 90 per cent decline. While California shipments declined, we find that the Midwest states particularly have shown an increase in volume of shipments — and this in face of the fact that the rails have reduced freight rates on egg shipments by nearly 30 to 40 per cent during this period. It is not a pleasant picture, but it is better to face it: The idle acres of the East and South and the lower labor and tax costs of those areas, have all resulted in a great loss to California growers."

California farmers, in face of those facts, may get a more sympathetic and understanding audience when they complain against excessive taxes and excessive labor costs in this state. Farmers, of course, have known the fact, but the public at large has not. The Railroad Commission has rendered a splendid service in making them public.

MOBILE UNITS DUE AT NEWARK & CENTERVILLE

NEWARK — Ray Truscott of Newark, district chairman of First Aid in Washington Township; and Frank Dusterberry of Centerville, chairman of the Red Cross of Washington Township told Fire Chief Joe Pashote last week that Newark would receive an emergency mobile unit within a month.

This unit will be operated by advanced first aiders only, and it has been practically agreed that the unit will be placed at the Newark Garage, which is located across from the Newark Fire Station. The unit will be available twenty-four hours a day for any emergency and will be allowed to follow the Newark Fire trucks, under normal conditions to serious fires to treat the injured.

The second unit of the Township will probably be placed at Centerville. All necessary first aid equipment and supplies are to be placed in this mobile unit.

There have been some first aid equipment and supplies placed all ready at the fire station, but additional equipment is being sought. An emergency first aid sign has also been placed in front of the Newark Fire Station.

A First Aid meeting was held Thursday evening of this week at the Newark Fire Station, at which a date for a meeting of all the officers of various organizations would be set for the near future. During an emergency there must be cooperation and coordination among all Civilian Defense Organizations in order to function properly. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss this problem of cooperation and coordination.

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WATCHMAN DIES

DECOTO — Services were held last Thursday for Walter A. McPherson, 67, night watchman at the Decoto cannery who was found dead of a heart attack. Rites were held in Hayward with interment made in the Cypress cemetery here. Survivors include a mother and sister. He was an Odd Fellow, a native of Nevada and had lived here 22 years.

MISSION PIONEER SUCCUMBS TO ILLNESS AT HIGHLAND HOSPITAL

MISSION — On Wednesday evening at five Mrs. Minnie Bettencourt, mother of Elizabeth Bettencourt, passed away at the Highland Hospital following a long illness. Mrs. Bettencourt had been in ill health for the past year and went to the hospital about four weeks ago. She was suffering from cancer of the stomach and was in an oxygen tent for several days before her passing.

She was born and raised in this town and had spent the greater part of her 54 years here at the old family home, on Ellsworth Street.

She leaves her husband Frank, three daughters, Elizabeth, Catharine and May and a son Donald. Another daughter, Jennie passed away about ten years ago. Mrs. Rose Rogers of this town is her sister and Mrs. Santos of San Leandro is another.

Funeral services were held from the Berge Mortuary at Irvington and Mass was said at St. Joseph's Church. Interment was made in our town cemetery.

ATTEND STATE MEET

CENTERVILLE — F. T. Dusterberry, president of Centerville Chamber of Commerce and A. J. Petsche, secretary of Niles Chamber of Commerce attended an all day meeting of Central Coast Counties of the State Chamber of Commerce held at Hotel Oakland Thursday, February 26. Many matters of vital interest to the state and this section were discussed and recommendations made to proper authorities. Particularly vital to the farming area and canneries is the farm labor problem. The federal government was asked to relax restrictions on importing such from neighboring countries during the emergency.

MOTORISTS STILL USING THEIR CARS ABOUT AS USUAL

SACRAMENTO — Despite the threatened restriction of automobile transportation in California because of defense demands, no reduction in the use of gasoline is reflected in January sales totals.

According to a report issued today by Richard E. Collins, Chairman of the State Board of Equalization, records show that the taxable gallonage of gasoline distributed during January amounted to 166,443,483, an increase of 10.08 per cent over the same month of the previous year.

The tax on these sales amounted to \$4,993,304 as compared with \$4,563,050 for January, 1941, an increase of \$457,253.

The January total, however, was substantially under the \$5,429,658 tax assessed against sales made during the holiday month of December, Collins reported.

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CRANE OFFERS TIME PLAN FOR AUTO REPAIRS

News of great importance to all owners of automobiles came this week in the form of an announcement by the Crane Garage in Niles, of an arrangement to provide funds for general repairs to motor vehicles.

As is well known, all motorists will have to get along for "the duration" with existing vehicles most of which, however, have a long potential life if properly reconditioned.

The plan enables car owners to have all the work done thoroughly at once before motor vehicles deteriorate further, and then pay for the work on convenient terms.

The plan also is calculated to support the nation's war effort by encouraging rehabilitation of present transportation, extending its useful life and making it more efficient and economical of operation. Further, according to bank officials it is designed to enable service garages and dealers to keep in operation and maintain at least a part of their businesses and payrolls in the face of complete stoppage of new car sales.

PUBLIC INVITED TO FINE DANCE SATURDAY NIGHT

NEWARK — Curt Sykes and his Musical Syke-Ologists will play for the dance at the Newark Pavilion on Saturday, March 7. Not only is this band one of the outstanding musical organizations in this part of the state, but was recently honored by being taken into the fold of the Music Corporation of America, which books only top notch bands.

Dodie Seacord, blues singer, will be one of the featured performers Saturday night. Miss Seacord not only possesses a voice which lends itself admirably to the singing of blues numbers, but has a vivid personality which enables her to



put her numbers over with a bang. Miss Seacord has recently been doing her bit by appearing on numerous programs given for men in the service, and has proved extremely popular.

Other featured performers on the program for Saturday night include Eddie Quinn, bass player who does vocal novelties, and Al Greer, drummer, who specializes in ballad vocals.

Dancing will be from 8:30 p. m. to 1 a. m.

rites Held For MRS. MARY SANTOS

ALVARADO — Funeral services were held Monday morning from the Chapel of the Palms for Mrs. Mary Santos, 65, who died at her home here after a lingering illness.

Services at the Holy Ghost Church at Centerville were followed by interment at the Holy Ghost cemetery.

Mrs. Santos was a native of Portugal and had resided in Alvarado for 14 years. She is survived by her husband, Manual, and several children.

OLD RESIDENT DIES

CENTERVILLE — John J. O'Keefe, better known to his friends as Jack O'Keefe, a business man of Centerville for many years and later proprietor of the Maple Hotel in Irvington, died in Oakland on February 23. He was a member of Washington Parlor Native Sons of Centerville. M. P. Mathiesen and other members attended the funeral on February 25.

The city of Redding has a municipally-owned gold mine.

JOINS MARINES

MISSION — A farewell party was given Elmo Andrade by his sister, Mrs. Thomas Cunha at the Mission Bell, owned by the Cunha's, on Saturday evening. Elmo enlisted in Uncle Sam's Marines and left Monday morning for San Francisco to be inducted. He was a member of the fire department and the members and their wives helped him celebrate as well as a number of his friends. A huge cake four feet by two, and four inches thick covered with white frosting, with red and blue decorations and a big "Good Luck" sign held the center of attraction. Sandwiches, salad and drinks were served late in the evening.

FREE CONCERT

SAN JOSE — With Nathan Abas in his accustomed position as conductor, the Northern California WPA Symphony will present its next free municipal concert at the San Jose Civic Auditorium on Tuesday evening, March 10. An especially distinctive program of choice new and older orchestral music will support the solo appearance of operatic soprano, Sue Bell Browne.

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BLACKOUT VEHICLES TO BE PERMITTED BETTER LIGHTS

SACRAMENTO — A modification of blackout lighting regulations to permit a small amount of driving light for emergency vehicles was announced today by James M. Carter, Director of Motor Vehicles.

Under prior regulations lights on emergency vehicles provided no illumination whatever but served only as a warning to approaching pedestrians or vehicles.

The modification will allow statutory and permitted emergency vehicles to use a white or amber driving light of special design approved by the Department. Statutory emergency vehicles — ambulances, police cars, fire cars, etc., in addition may display a very small red front light of special design approved by the Department.

Carter explained that no direct light will be visible from the air and that the candle power employed will be less than 1 per cent of that used for normal driving.

The modification was ordered because of numerous accidents involving both statutory and permitted emergency cars operated

during recent blackouts and has the approval of the military authorities and the State Council of Defense, Carter said.

Lists of approved blackout driving lights will be provided by the Highway Patrol as soon as possible, Carter said, but they will not be ready until the numerous devices submitted have been tested and given official approval.

NEWARK AUXILIARIES EXPECT TO RECEIVE ARM BANDS SOON

NEWARK — Newark's Auxiliary group met Wednesday evening and were told by Chief Joe Pashote that their arm bands would soon be received. The group meets hereafter on Tuesday nights at 8 o'clock as the civilian defense classes, heretofore held on Tuesday evenings, have come to an end.

It was suggested that each section assigned to patrol for fires during an air raid should make it a point to come around each Sunday morning for hose drilling and further information on fire fighting. Section one consisting of Louis Perry, captain; Eugene Pashote, Harland Johnson, and Donald Maciel were present Sunday morning with the regular firemen for drill.

Mrs. Horton of Bakersfield spent the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Rena Harrelson.

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TOMATO 15 oz. tin 2 for 19c Palace — Solid Pack with trimmings		SCOTCH SOAP granulated 40c Giant Size
HOMINY 2½ tin 2 for 19c Dodge—White		NU BORA giant size 49c
TAMALE 2 for 21c Santa Maris with meat gravy 15½ oz. tin		SWAN SOAP large bar 2 for 19c small bar 2 for 11c
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